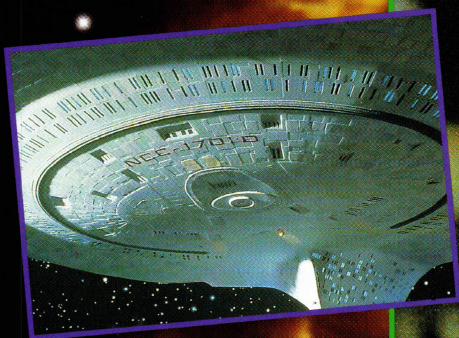


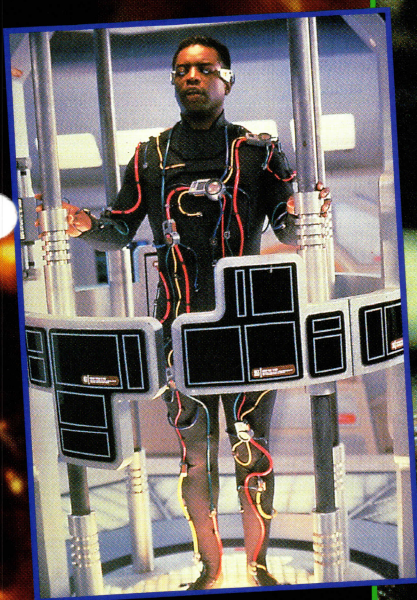


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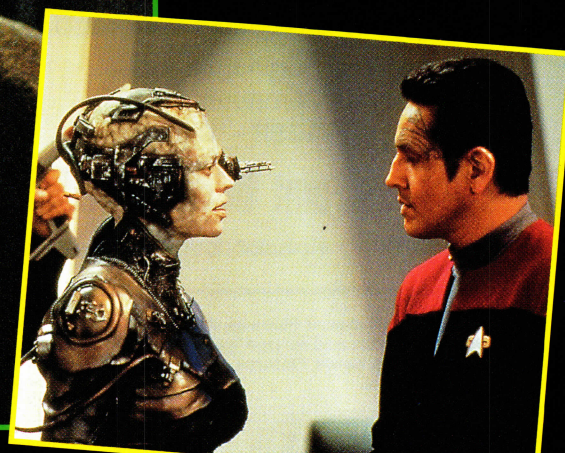
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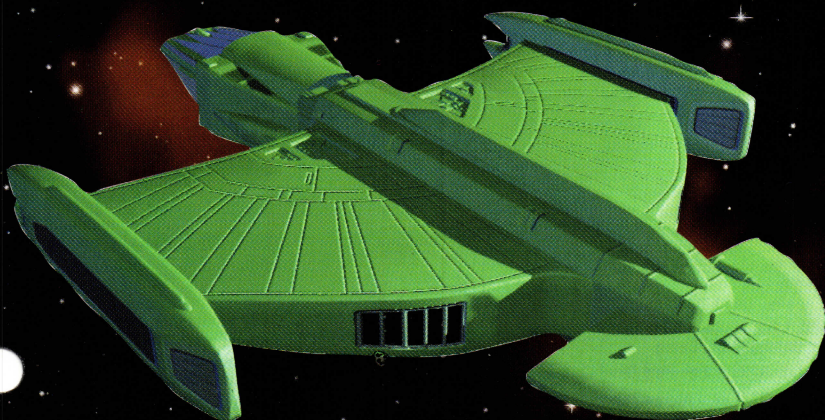
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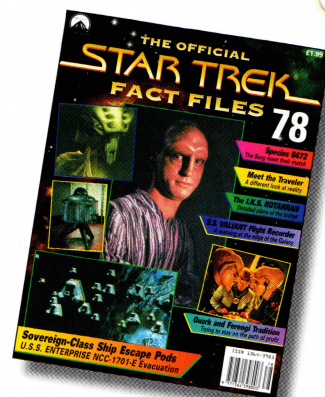
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Weyoun

The Dominion's chief administrator in the Alpha Quadrant always presents himself as a cooperative and amiable man, but in reality he is a cold and calculating politician.

Like all the **Vorta**, **Weyoun** is a shrewd and opportunistic administrator who is completely devoted to the **Founders**. He has been cloned about five times, and over several lifetimes he has risen to a senior position.

Weyoun has been genetically engineered to be the 'perfect' politician. Whatever his feelings about a situation, he always presents a positive face; he is unfailingly pleasant and greets everyone, even his sworn enemies, with a smile. But behind the smile there is a cold, calculating stare. If Weyoun seems friendly, it is only because it serves the **Dominion**.

Weyoun almost always lies; he can transform his attitude at a moment's notice, and is utterly insincere in most of his interactions. He is not

attached to any opinions, and has a dazzling ability to discard arguments as soon as they are shown to be flawed. He is quite capable of making two entirely contradictory statements within minutes.

Weyoun is a master at controlling people and is an astute observer of behavior. He identifies people's fears and weaknesses, and uses that information to manipulate them. He works on strengthening any alliances that coincide with his interests and destroying those that do not.

Powerful position

When the Dominion launches its assault on the **Alpha Quadrant**, Weyoun is their chief administrator and is given a considerable degree of independence. The Founders do not involve themselves with operational matters, and he is left as the acting

PROFILE ON WEYOUN

NAME: Weyoun

LIFE FORM: Male Vorta

POSITION: Chief Dominion Administrator in the Alpha Quadrant.

REMARKS: Weyoun has been cloned several times. Like all Vorta he has been genetically engineered to fulfill his role as a Dominion administrator.

REMARKS: One version of Weyoun is killed by the Jem'Hadar.

FIRST SEEN: 'To The Death' [DS9]



Although Weyoun makes an effort to appear friendly, he is cold and calculating. Nothing matters more to him than serving the Founders, and making sure that the Dominion conquers the Alpha Quadrant.

commander-in-chief of Dominion forces. As a military tactician he is not as skilled as **Gul Dukat**, who is the leader of the **Cardassian Empire**, the Dominion's first Alpha Quadrant allies. But the Dominion has overwhelming military superiority in the Alpha Quadrant, and until they lose control of **Deep Space Nine** the campaign goes well.

Weyoun enjoys his powerful position – he

relishes imposing his will on Dukat, and seems to take pleasure in the ritual of giving the **Jem'Hadar** the **ketracel white** that they need to survive. He is also

intrigued by the idea of immortality, and takes great pains to avoid being embarrassed in front of the Founders. His ego is a weakness which means he

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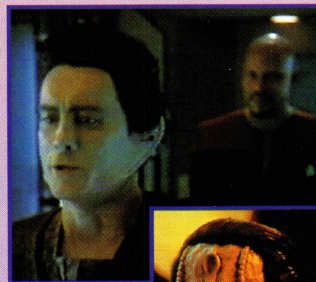


★ True power

Weyoun makes absolutely certain that Gul Dukat understands who is in charge.

★ Dominion honor

When the combined Cardassian/Dominion fleet takes control of **DEEP SPACE NINE**, Weyoun forces the Cardassians to leave Bajor alone.



★ Strange alliances

Weyoun persuades Captain Sisko to join forces with him to stop a group of renegade Jem'Hadar from using an Iconian portal.



★ Ruling council

During the occupation of **DEEP SPACE NINE**, the station is governed by a ruling council that consists of Weyoun, Dukat, and Odo.

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Weyoun

can be flattered; for example, he is delighted to be able to talk with the changeling **Odo**, even though he realizes that the security officer may present a threat to the Dominion.

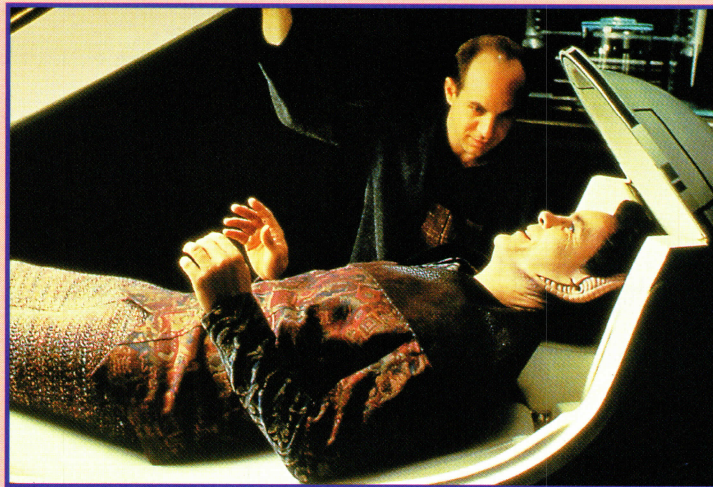
However much he may enjoy his power, Weyoun would never consider betraying the Founders, whom he regards as gods. He has even died in their service; in 2372, a group of renegade Jem'Hadar take control of an **Iconian portal**, and Weyoun is sent to eliminate them. He realizes he cannot trust most of the Jem'Hadar on this mission and knows it is in everyone's interests to defeat the renegades. With his unfailing ability to see the bigger picture, Weyoun is imaginative and persuasive enough to form an alliance with the **Federation**, but he makes a rare misjudgment during the mission when he questions the loyalty of the Jem'Hadar serving under him, and their First kills him.

Political judgment

Weyoun is effectively resurrected by a Dominion cloning technique that leaves his memories intact. In his new existence, he is extremely aware of the political implications of every event; he instinctively calculates how the public will react when something occurs, and gauges the ramifications for the Dominion. He places great importance on appearances and does everything in his power to belittle any differences the Dominion has with its allies, or even its enemies – after the Cardassians and Jem'Hadar have a brawl in **Quark's**, he immediately and aggressively orders Dukat to stand with him and smile.

During the occupation of *Deep Space Nine*, Weyoun restricts the information reporters can have and censors their reports. When **Jake Sisko** wants to profile him for the **Federation News Service**, Weyoun will not let the young man interview him unless Jake stops using words like "occupation". He thinks the idea of a free press is naive.

Unlike many politicians, Weyoun has little interest in the short term. He has been bred to think about the longer term; for example, he insists that the Cardassians honor the non-aggression treaty with **Bajor** because he understands that doing so will build a reputation of credibility for the Dominion in the Alpha Quadrant.

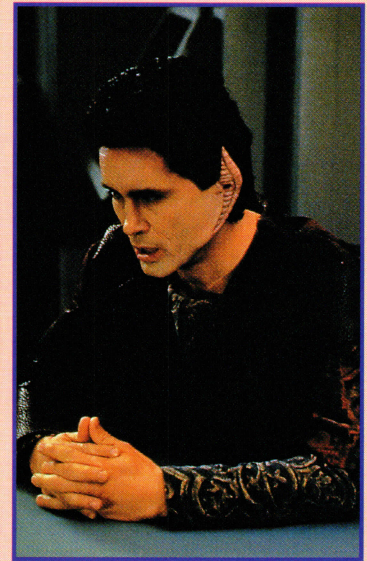


★ Vain hope?

Weyoun is fascinated when he discovers that Dr. Giger believes he has found a way of achieving immortality, and tries the process out for himself.

★ Watchful eye

Weyoun keeps a close watch on the Jem'Hadar and Cardassian troops on DEEP SPACE NINE to make sure that they at least give the appearance of unity.



The Dominion's reputation is vitally important to Weyoun. Publicly, he maintains that the Dominion is a benevolent organization and that, ultimately, everyone will see the wisdom of joining it. Privately, he is determined to establish the

Dominion by any means necessary, including genocide. He has no conscience, and quite calmly suggests that the Dominion may have to completely eliminate the human race to achieve its goal.

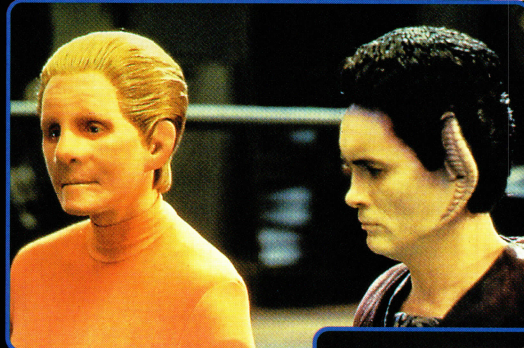
Occasionally, Weyoun drops his mask of sincerity and

reasonableness so that he can communicate a threat, but as soon as he feels he is in control the smile reappears on his face and he resumes his insistence that he and the Dominion are concerned only with the welfare of others.

A LOYAL OPERATIVE

The Vorta

When the Dominion sends its first fleet into the Alpha Quadrant, Weyoun is assigned to work with Gul Dukat on Cardassia. After the Dominion takes control of *Deep Space Nine*, Weyoun and Dukat establish their headquarters there. It is quite apparent that Weyoun has more real power than Dukat, and he insists that the Cardassians do exactly what the Dominion tells them, which causes a degree of resentment between the two men.



★ In control

Weyoun reports to the Founders, but has a great deal of power himself.



★ Master and servant

Weyoun is completely devoted to the Founders, whom he sees as gods.

★ Rivals for power

Dukat and Weyoun have a very confrontational relationship; each is determined to prove that he is superior. Weyoun's power normally gives him the upper hand.



★ Short victory

Weyoun is delighted when the Dominion manages to destroy the minefield that prevents it from using the wormhole. But the Prophets destroy the fleet that tries to come through.